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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Hiroyuki SEKIHATA, et al.

Serial No. 09/803,996

Group Art Unit: 3627

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Examiner: Steven B. McAllister

For: BOOK MANAGEMENT APPARATUS

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 24, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on November 24, 2005. A petition and fee for a one-month Extension of Time is submitted herewith, thereby extending the response period to December 24, 2005. As December 24, 2005 fell on a Saturday and the USPTO was closed on December 26, 2005, this Amendment is timely filed on Tuesday, December 27, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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